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	Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.				
	A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.				
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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to an office action mailed March 25, 2004, Applicants submit the following for entry in the above-identified application.

The response is being filed within the fifth month from the mailing date of the office action. Therefore, a petition for a two-month extension of time is being filed herewith along with the required fee.

Listing of the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.